Year	*Funds released (Rs. in lakhs)*
1993-94	60.00
1994-95	95.00
1995-96	195.00

Funds for issuance of Kisan Pass Books have, however, not been provided as such proposal has not been received from the State Government of Maharashtra.

(e) The following 20 districts of Maharashtra State have been covered for undertaking Computerisation of land records:-

(i) Wardha
(ii) Amravati
(iii) Nasik
(iv) Aurangabad
(v) Bombay
(vi) Nagpur
(vii) Akola
(viii) Pune
(ix) Thane
(x) Chandrapur
(xi) Jalgaon
(xii) Parbhani
(xiii) Solapur
(xiv) Latur
(xv) Bombay City
(xvi) Bul Dhaana
(xvii) Dhule
(xviii) Kolapur
(xix) Nanded
(xx) Raigad

Total Quantum of Land Records entered in the computer networks is not still quantifiable at this stage. Kisan Pass Books, even if issued by the State Government has not been done under the concerned Centrally Sponsored Scheme.

Rural Godowns in Punjab

748. SHRI IQBAL SINGH: Will the Minister of RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of godowns sanctioned and completed in Punjab under the scheme for setting up of rural godowns;

(b) the Central assistance/grants provided for the purpose to the State, so far;

(c) the target fixed for the year 1996-97 for Punjab under this scheme; and

(d) the necessary steps being taken by Government in this respect?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI CHANDRADEO PRASAD VARMA) (a) No godowns have been sanctioned for Punjab by the Central Government under the scheme for setting up of rural godowns;

(b) Does not arise.

(c) and (d) The scheme for setting up of rural godowns had been transferred to the State Sector since 1992-93 as per the decision of the National Development Council.

Implementation of National Social Assistance Programme

749. SHRI SANJAY DALMIA: Will the Minister of RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the State where National Social Assistance Programme is being implemented;

(b) since when such programme is being implemented and the main components of this programme;

(c) the funds allocated to different States during the last one year under the programme and the achievements made so far during the said period; and

(d) the steps taken to implement the programme effectively?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI CHANDRA-DEO PRASAD VARMA): (a) The National Social Assistance Programme is being implemented throughout the country.

(b) The programme came into effect from 15.8.95. The three components of the programme are:—

(i) The National Old Age Pension Scheme (NDAPS)

(ii) The National Family Benefit Scheme (NFBS)

(iii) The National Maternity Benefit Scheme (NMBS)

(c) Duriong the last year (1995-96) a total amount of Rs. 538.92 crores was allocated to the States/UTs under the programme. Out of this Rs. 380.48 crore was actually released during the year. As on 31.10.1996, the reported achievement of the States/UTs in utilising this released amount is Rs. 164.71 crore.

(d) The steps taken for the affective implementation of the programme are as the following:—

(i) The States and the Districts Level Committees on NSAP have been constituted which are headed by the Chief Secretary of the concerned States and the District Collectors of the concerned distrsicts respectively. The State Level Committees are responsible for monitoring and evaluation of the programme and matters concerned thereof and to report to the Government of India.

The District Level Committees are responsible for:—

(i) Efficient implementation of the NSAP in accordance with the Guidelines and the procedures instituted.

(ii) Giving wide publicity to the NSAP and its procedures.

(iii) Convening meetings regularly of the District Level Committees.

(iv) Monitoring and compiling information about the implementation of the Schemes and forwarding it to the prescribed Authorities.

To make the programme more responsive and cost effective, the Panchayat/Municipality are also involved in the grass root level in the delivery of Social Assistance.

Funds for maintenance work in electrified Villages

750. SHRI RAM LAL: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government provide any funds for maintenance work in electrified villages and monitor the same; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF NON-CONVENTIONAL ENERGY SOURCES: (DR. S. VENUGOPALACHARI): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

मध्य प्रदेश में वन विभाग में लंबित ग्रामीण सड़क योजनाएं

751. **श्री अजीत जोगी:** क्या ग्रामीण क्षेत्र और रोजगार मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) मध्य प्रदेश में कौन-कौन सी ग्रामीण सड़क परियोजनाएं वन विभाग से "अनापत्ति प्रमाण पत्र" न मिल पाने के कारण लंबित पड़ी है; और

(ख) इन परियोजनाओं को शीघ्र स्वीकृति देने के लिए क्या-क्या कदम उठाये जा रहे है?

ग्रामीण क्षेत्र और रोजगार मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री चन्द्रदेव प्रसाद वर्मा): (क) और (ख) सूचना एकत्र की जा रही है और सभा पटल पर रख दी जाएगी।

JRY funds for thane district Maharashtra

752. SHRI RAJ NATH SINGH:
PROF. RAM KAPSE:

Will the Minister of RURAL AREAS AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the amount of funds released under JRY for Thane district of Maharashtra for the year 1996-97, taluke-wise: